

POULTRY SHOW AWARDS

Judge Seyler finished judging the poultry at the Monett Poultry Show, Thursday and awarded the premiums as follows:

White Rocks—Emery Smith, 2nd and 2nd cockerel; 2nd pen, 1st cock, 5th hen; 4th and 5th pullet.

Henry Dieterich—1st, 2nd and 3rd pullet, 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th hen; 1st cockerel, 1st pen.

White Wyandottes—W. B. Clifton, Cabool, Mo., 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th cockerel; 1st pen; 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th pullet.

White Orpingtons—George Wilson, 1st and 2nd cockerel and 2nd and 3rd pullets; 1st pen.

Columbia Wyandottes—Mrs. Mer-moud, 2nd and 3rd cockerel; 2nd cock; 1st, 2nd and 3rd hen.

Partridge Plymouth Rocks—Lawrence Frear, 1st cockerel; 2nd cock; 1st and 2nd pullet; 1st and 2nd hens.

Buff Orpingtons—Alvin Bradford, 1st cockerel; 1st, 2nd and 3rd pullet.

Partridge Wyandottes—Geo. Lipe, Verona, 1st cockerel; 4th cock; 3rd hen; 2nd pen.

Dr. West—5th pen; 3rd and 5th pullet.

Val Majors—4th pen; 5th pullet.

Clyde Seward—3rd and 4th cockerel; 2nd pullet; 5th hen.

Lester Howell—2nd and 3rd cockerel; 1st and 2nd cock; 1st and 4th pullet; 1st, 2nd and 4th hen; 1st pen.

White Leghorns—Mrs. Kepner, 2nd cockerel; 2nd cock; 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th pullet; 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th hen.

Barred Plymouth Rocks—B. Odell, Billings, 1st and 3rd cockerel.

George Bennige, Marionville, 2nd and 4th cockerel.

John Tyhurst—1st, 3rd, 4th and 5th pullet; 2nd pen.

Dr. West—5th cockerel; 2nd pullet; 3rd pen.

Rose Comb Rhode Island Reds—Finis Johnson, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th cockerel; 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th pullet; 1st pen.

Single Comb Rhode Island Reds—Rev. Todd, 2nd cockerel; 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th pullets; 2nd pen.

Golden Seabright Bantams—Henry Dieterich, 1st cockerel; 1st and 2nd pullet; 1st, 3rd and 5th hen.

Teddy Mermoud—1st and 2nd hen.

Black Cochon Bantams—Teddy Mermoud, 1st cock, 1st hen.

Monett Myer, who has a pen of 125 guinea pigs, made an exhibit of some of the varieties. They are pretty little fellows and there are some fine varieties. The white and cream Peruvians are odd looking. They have hair four inches long and look like tiny muffs.

The red Abyssinian are a fine guinea pig. Mr. Myer also has the black ones but they are not on exhibit. Their hair is of medium length. Then he has of the English variety the white, black and broken color.

He sells them for pets and for medical research. One white male he paid \$2.50 for but he would not sell it for three times that much. The father of this pig won prizes at the World's Fair.

BUSHNELL-HESTER

Miss Edith Hester and Lester Bushnell were married Wednesday evening at the home of Rev. J. F. King, who performed the ceremony. They went to Crane Thursday to spend the day with Mr. Bushnell's parents. They are keeping house on Fifth street.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Mike Mullin. Mr. Bushnell is employed at the Evereat Cafe.

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NEW LIBERTY

The beautiful fall weather is fine for gathering in the corn crop.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Williams came out from Monett Saturday and visited over Sunday with Leslie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams.

Mr. White, substitute on rural route 4 is carrying the mail this week while Mr. Smith is busy at the poultry show.

Our efficient road "boss", M. Moudy is doing some splendid work on the roads leading into Monett. Many of the mud holes we had to drive through last winter are being made into good roads.

The Union Sunday school was well attended last Sunday. After services the crowd went to Luther Jackson's to help participate in the surprise dinner given Mr. and Mrs. Jackson by their friends and neighbors. Those present outside of the neighborhood were Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Spain, of Purdy; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dummit, of Purdy; Mr. and Mrs. Brown and Drake, Mrs. Jacob Marbut and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Cornell, Miss Tirzah Cornell, Miss Mary Finch, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Spain and Mrs. Bert Dummit and children, all of Monett.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacques and daughter, of the Pisgah neighborhood, attended services at New Liberty, Sunday, and took dinner with their daughter, Mrs. Morris.

Mr. McQueen of Verona is visiting his sister, Mrs. Marion Tate and enjoying a good hunt. Mr. McQueen came here several months ago from Arizona in search of health. He is now almost a well man. Surely southwest Missouri is the healthiest place on earth.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Jackson went to Purdy, Wednesday, to spend Thanksgiving with Mrs. Jackson's brother, Mr. Spain.

Miss Ada Nordin, who died in Monett, Tuesday morning, lived several years on Kings Prairie, and her many friends here are much grieved over the passing away of such a sweet consecrated Christian girl, but our loss is heaven's gain.

Mrs. Wesley Fischer is in a critical condition at her home northeast of Carter's store. We hope to hear of her improvement.

Mrs. Jim Marbut of Little Flat received a message Monday stating that her brother, Mr. Call, had suddenly died in Colorado, and his body was being shipped to his old home near Purdy, for burial.

FLAT CREEK ITEMS

Health is good in this neighborhood. We are having very fine weather this fall.

W. F. Brite of Monett visited O. P. Brite and family, Sunday.

James McCracken and Lloyd Clayton passed through this part of the country, Monday buying furs.

James Goddard and family of this community are moving to Coraicana this week. We regret very much to see them leave.

Considerable trapping is being done along the creek. The possum crop seems to be good, also several coons have been caught.

John Jackson has caught the largest fish of any of the boys lately. It made a mess for two families and still some left. John said it was overgrown.

Pete Bennett and Loyd Hemphill have each bought them a rubber tired buggy.

O. P. Brite is plowing for 1916 corn crop.

Oscar Bennett is now a merchant in Star City and takes hold of the business like an old hand.

Pat Brown had a fine colt to die last week of some kind of a fever. He had offered a hundred dollars for a mate for it.

McDowell mines are putting out some fine mineral and we have been informed the parties in charge of same are going to ship a carload of mineral, soon.

Hugh Linn and son Omer are the new proprietors of the Star City blacksmith shop and seem to be having a good trade.

Roy Haskins and Famous Dodson have each built new barns.

Chas. Wallen and family of near Cassville visited with O. P. Brite and family, Saturday and Sunday.

The farmers of this vicinity are generally done gathering their corn

that was not cut and put in the shock. It has been so dry to handle the fodder not much of the shock corn has been gathered.

Two of our efficient deputy sheriffs were seen going north on the old wire road, Monday evening about night, at a very rapid rate and on inquiry we found it was Hugh Brixey and Fred Hessee and that they were after a horse thief. The car was driven by H. Clay Funston of Cassville. Near McDowell they bursted one of the tires but got another one from O. P. Brite and were soon burning the wind. We understand they caught the thief, also got the horse. Caught them near Cato.

BRITES PRAIRIE

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thompson and daughter Virginia visited Mrs. T. E. Brite, Saturday.

John Ring visited his sister, Mrs. Will Bowen, near Wentworth, over Sunday.

J. E. Davis and wife were Hoberg visitors, Monday.

Miss Derbin of Fort Smith, Ark., is visiting her brother, Matt Derbin, and family.

Wilbourne Cox is just completing a fine cellar.

Mrs. Vernon Cloud and baby, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Ring, returned to her home in Joplin, Saturday.

Brit Carlin and family visited at Jim Ferguson's, Saturday.

Miss Flora Brite spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. P. C. Hathaway, of Monett.

Mrs. Bee Cox is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Will Mayhew, and family.

Iona Ring is visiting relatives in Joplin.

The revival at Ebenezer still continues with good interest. There was six baptized, Monday.

D. E. Brite and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Roy Brite of Monett.

Revs. Curtis and Jones took dinner at Scott Brite's last Wednesday.

Several from here attended lodge at the Arnaud school house, Monday evening.

WILD ROSE.

SOUTH MONETT NEWS

Mrs. Leslie Williams and children, Violet and Juanita, spent Thursday in Peirce City.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Long, of Aurora, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Bert Etter.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Moudy, of Purdy, ate Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Rob Moudy.

Mrs. Flora Cress spent Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. Ross Agan.

Elza Eden of Purdy, was in Monett, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cooper and children, who live northeast of Cassville, spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Cooper's brother, R. R. Black. They returned home Friday morning.

Cecil Medlin and Martin Pozniak were in the country Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Burkhardt and daughter, Lela, of northeast of town, visited Thursday with Bert Etter and family.

FEW RURAL

CHURCHES PROSPER

New York, Nov. 27.—One out of every nine country churches has been abandoned in the last few years; only one-third are increasing in membership, and two-thirds either have ceased growing or are slowly dying.

This was the substance of a report made public tonight by the commission on church and country life, headed by Gifford Pinchot. The facts were obtained in an extensive survey in Ohio.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT OF EXECUTOR

All creditors and others interested in the estate of Jere Murphy, deceased are notified that the undersigned Executor of said estate, intends to make final settlement of said estate at the next term of the Probate of Barry county to be held at Cassville, in said county on the 13th day of December, 1915.

E. A. O'DWYER,
Executor.

Mrs. Joe Burkey, Miss Annie and Tony Burkey, of Sarcoxie, are visiting A. Doennig and family.

FAMILY REUNION

On Thanksgiving Day a family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Howard, near Mendon Spring, all the children being present except two. They all enjoyed a pleasant time together and an elaborate dinner was served at the noon hour.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Reese and two daughters, Calista and Frances, of Longmont, Colo.; Mrs. G. A. Melton, of Sedalia; Mrs. C. J. Seward and family, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Howard, of Mt. Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pruitt and family, and Miss Nelle Howard.

YOUNG MATRON'S BRIDGE

Miss Orene Wagner entertained the Young Matron's Bridge Club Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Ed Hogan won the club prize, a pair of silk hose, and Miss Margaret Edgar received the guest prize, a Harrison Fisher picture.

Those present were Mesdames Ora Hudson, Harry Davies, Gene Saxe, Will Steele, Louis Tucker, P. J. Heyburn, Ed Hogan, M. L. Crawford, W. T. Daily, Chas. Mansfield, Miss Margaret Edgar and Miss Myrtle White. Miss Wagner served an excellent one course lunch.

WIENIE ROASTERS

The following attended the wienie roast held east of town, Tuesday evening: Mrs. Preston Brown, Mrs. D. D. Parsons, Mrs. A. L. Beeman, Mrs. B. E. Binney, Irene Swartzel, Ruth Blakeslee, Corinne and Katherine Beeman, Ethel Archdale, Mabel, Edna, Sidney and Florence Timmons, Ruby Brewster, Hazel Parsons, Amber Stow, Edna Walton, Harriet Wilson, Mattie McNeil, Rhea Dummit, Arthur Steenbock, Fielding Sizer, Paul and Fred Steele, Martha Higgins, Carol Donlavy, Clovis McCracken, Bertha and Lillie Watkins, Russell Gillette, Marie Gillioz, Opal McCracken, Russell Gilbert, Jay Ezell, Kenneth Ogden Effie and Marie Binney, Charles Binney, Edna Scott, Mildred Hastings, Audrey Scott and Goldie Cooper.

CLUB ENTERTAINED AT DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. McKee entertained the 500 club at an eight course dinner at 7 o'clock, Wednesday evening. The decorations were chrysanthemums.

In the games later in the evening Mrs. C. A. Maher received the prize for proficiency.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. A. Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Sig Solomon, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Shipley, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smedley, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Maher, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Durnil, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Knapp, Mrs. Flora Kahn and Miss Merrah Kahn.

Mrs. W. R. Breeze went to Peirce City, Friday morning.

TRUSTEES SALE

Whereas, Monett Lodge No. 1132 B. P. O. E. of Monett, Missouri, (Incorporated Pro-Forma) by its deed of trust, dated February 9, 1911, and recorded in office of Recorder of Deeds of Barry County, Missouri, in Book 46 at page 577, executed said deed of trust to secure the payment of certain note, and interest and costs or debt therein described, and then and there for said purposes, conveyed to the undersigned trustee, the following described real estate, situate and being in Barry County, Missouri, to-wit: Lots numbered Eleven (11) and Twelve (12) in Block numbered Eighteen (18) in the Monett Town Co's Townsite of Monett, Missouri, (except one Lot of Fifty (50) feet East and West by Ninety (90) feet North and South off of East end of above described Lots No. (11) and No. (12), Block No. (18), and whereas default has been made in the payment of the interest and by virtue of the terms and power of said deed of trust, the option of the owner and legal holder of said notes and debt, is that the entire debt, interest and cost are now due;

Therefore the undersigned Trustee at the request of the legal owner and holder of said note, will on Saturday, December 18th, 1915, between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon, at the door of the city hall in the City of Monett, Barry County, Missouri, at public vendue, to the highest bidder for cash, sell said real estate to satisfy the said debt, interest and costs.

SIG SOLOMON, Trustee.

First insertion November 26.

Mrs. R. Grammer, Mrs. W. D. Beck and son, of Verona visited here, Monday.

Misses Mary Schirmer and Mary Bailey, of east if town, were shopping here, Saturday.

A. O. Bass and family returned, Friday night, from a visit at Springdale, Ark.

Mrs. Martha Reid, of Kings Prairie and Miss Ethel Reid, of Cassville, were shopping here, Saturday.

Dr. A. Jones reports the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. R. Bradshaw, Saturday, November 27.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wainright and baby, of Springfield, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wainright, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Moret will leave this week for Rolla, where they will live on their farm.

Dr. John Ingram, of Cassville, visited his father, Mrs. M. L. Ingram, Sunday.

Mrs. June Newman, of Fairview, is visiting Mrs. A. L. Granger. She is returning from a visit at Verona.

Mrs. Claud Baity returned to her home at Springfield, Sunday evening, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Otterman.

Now is the time to select your winter reading matter. The Monett Weekly Times and the Kansas City Weekly Star, \$1.00 per year, cash in advance.

Mrs. James Johnston and daughter Mary returned to their home in St. Louis, Monday morning, after a visit with Mrs. A. B. Clark, who is ill.

Mrs. J. N. Brown was called to Washburn, Monday by the serious illness of the twin boy of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fine.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Vinson have gone to housekeeping in Mrs. Fannie Martin's cottage on North Fourth street.

Mrs. W. M. Clark returned to her home at Paris, Tex., Sunday. Her daughter, Miss Mary, who had been visiting Miss Edna Green, went home, Monday.

The will of D. G. Bennett who died three weeks ago in Purdy has been probated. Robert T. Bennett, a son, was named as executor. His bond was fixed by Probate Judge C. M. Landis at \$4,000.—Cassville Republican.

Dr. C. T. Dusenbury reports the following births: to Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Bridgman, November 24, a girl; to Mr. and Mrs. George Schwandt, November 27, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Justice, of northeast of town, November 29, a boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Doyle and son, of Atlanta, Ga., who have been visiting Mrs. Doyle's parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Jordan, at Miller, visited here between trains, Saturday, on their way home.

Mrs. John Mulrenin, the Misses Brennen and Will Reardon, of Fayetteville, Ark., were the guests of Steve Reardon and Miss Kate Reardon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Brenner, of Bolivar, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Hutcheson. They are Mrs. Hutcheson's parents. The two families motored to Wayne, Sunday.

O. R. White received word, Monday morning, that his mother had died in a hospital at Guthrie Ok. early in the morning. She had gone to the hospital for an operation. Mr. White left for Guthrie on the afternoon train.

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Miss Gladys Raines went to Everton to spend her Thanksgiving vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Frossard and Louis Frossard, if Joplin, are visiting here.

Miss Frances Peel, of Fort Smith, Ark., is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Peel.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Chapin spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Jae Hoover in Springfield.

Mrs. W. M. Clark and Miss Mary Clark, of Paris, Tex., are visiting friends here for a few days.

Miss Demmah Hamilton is spending her vacation with her mother at Washburn.

Mrs. Nora Tate and daughter Gladys are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Granger at Sapulpa, Ok.

Mrs. John Blythe, of Flat Creek, was operated upon, Friday at Dr. West's hospital. She is getting along nicely.

Press Hopkins is home from Kansas City for a few days' visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hopkins.

Mrs. A. N. Blaney and son Loren returned to their home at St. Louis, Saturday morning, after a visit with Mrs. Fannie Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Thorne and little son Roy are visiting Mrs. Thorne's sister, Mrs. J. J. Maher, and family.

Martin Randolph and Joe Dummit went out to Frank Jackson's Thursday, ate Thanksgiving dinner and went hunting with Mr. Jackson.

Mrs. Helen Hobbs, of Cassville and Mrs. W. P. George, of Berryville, Ark., spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Grover Hobbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gray motored to Mount Vernon, Thursday. They were obliged to leave their car there and return home on the train.

Mrs. Thompson, of Jefferson City, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown, of Marionville will spend the week end with the family of J. A. Hunter.

F. N. Reese and family, of Cassville, took Thanksgiving dinner with L. B. Jones and family at the Jones Hotel.

Mrs. Dave Dunaphant went to Joplin, Friday morning, to visit her husband, who is working there.

Mr. and Mrs. Emlett and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ryker, of Aurora, spent Thanksgiving Day with L. R. Baum and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Jordan, of Joplin, who visited Thursday with J. A. Hunter and family, went to Miller, Friday, to visit Rev. and Mrs. Jordan.

I. L. Mace, Ora Robberson and Fred Kaase went rabbit hunting, Thursday and shot a large number of rabbits. Mr. Mace was unfortunate in that he broke the axle of his automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Meador, of Monett, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jones, of Washburn and Mrs. E. W. Love, and son, of Cassville, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jones at Pioneer.

W. S. Lewis and family moved into their new home this week. They built a large bungalow with spacious rooms on the lots north of their old home and will have a beautiful home there.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Looney and little son spent Thanksgiving Day with home folks at Walnut Grove. The little boy fell in the train and cut his eyelid and bruised his eye, the injury requiring medical attention.

Henry Tutt and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wainright, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wainright motored to McDowell, Thanksgiving day. They were joined by six families at McDowell and they had a big mulligan stew in a large store room there. They had a fine time.

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